

New York State Statewide COVID-19 Reinfection Data

DATA DICTIONARY

Office of Public Health

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Health Data NY

Field Name	Definition
Begin Date of the Week	Date (Monday) of the 7-day period for which the count of infections was collected
REDC Region	The region of the infected individuals based on patient address, broken out by Regional Economic Development Councils (https://regionalcouncils.ny.gov/).
First Infection Count	Count of positive results for a person the first time it is identified
Reinfection Count	Count of positive results that meets either of the following criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It has been 90 days since the first positive result for the person, regardless of whether or not the person had a positive test between the two results. • It has been 90 days since the repeat positive result for the person, regardless of whether or not the person had a positive test between the two results.